GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:357
ANSWERED ON:02.03.2005
OVER BRIDGE IN MEHAR NAGAR ON N.H. .
Singh Shri Ganesh

Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has received a proposal regarding construction of an overbridge in Mehar Nagar on the National Highway No.7 passing through Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, the cost thereof; and

(c) the time by which it is likely to be cleared?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H.MUNIYAPPA)

(a) to (c):) A proposal was received from the State Government for construction of the Road Over Bridge (over the rails) at Maihar at Km.301/10 on Build Operate Transfer (BOT) basis at a cost of about Rs.19 crore. The location of Maihar R.O.B. comes within 80 Km. of Katni Bypass at Km.361/2 to 378/6 on NH-7 under construction on BOT basis and Rewa Bypass at Km.229 to 244 of NH-7 also to be taken up on BOT basis, which is at tender stage. Hence it will not be feasible to take up the Maihar R.O.B. on B.O.T. basis as the National Highway Rules, 1997 prohibits toll booths at intervals closer than 80 Km. Hence the above proposal has been returned unsanctioned.